

**Draft Code changes
For discussion only
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SECTION 201. OFFICERS.

201 A. Chair, Vice Chair, and Secretary.

At its last regular meeting before July 1 in each even-numbered year, the Board of Governors shall elect from its voting membership for two-year terms commencing July 1, and serving until their successors have been elected and qualified, a chair, a vice chair, and a secretary. No person may stand for election to a board office if, having been elected by the Senate or House of Representatives for the maximum allowable number of terms on the board, the person's board membership would expire before the end of the term of office. No person may serve as chair for more than ~~four years~~one complete two-year term in succession. If for any reason an office becomes vacant before expiration of the prescribed two-year term, the unexpired balance of the term shall be filled by an election to be conducted at the first meeting of the Board of Governors held after the elapse of 30 days from the date of the occurrence of the vacancy; in the event of a vacancy in the office of chair, the vice chair shall serve as chair until the required election is held. [See G.S. §116-8]

302 B. Officers of Standing Committees.

A chair, vice chair, and secretary of each standing committee shall be ~~elected by the committee membership designated by the chair of the Board of Governors for a one year term starting each year~~ at the first meeting after July 1 of the year and continuing until their successors are appointed. No person may serve more than two successive terms as chair of the same standing committee.